

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 1257 - SB 1408

March 3, 2019

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the appointments of the offices of senior judge, chancellor, circuit court judge, criminal court judge, or judge of any other trial court of record, district attorney general, and district public defender be confirmed by the Tennessee General Assembly prior to appointees taking office. Requires the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation (TBI) to conduct criminal and financial background investigations on such appointees and to provide the results of such investigations to the chair of any appropriate Tennessee General Assembly standing committee.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Based on information provided by TBI, any impact to the Bureau resulting from conducting criminal and financial background investigations required by the proposed legislation is estimated to be not significant.
- Any impact resulting from the Tennessee General Assembly approving such appointments prior to an appointee taking office is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner".

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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